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For: Mounting Arrangement for CRT Socket Board

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Request for Continued Examination and Submission under 37 C.F.R. 1.114

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 13, 2003 and Advisory Action mailed March 28, 2003 and having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on April 13, 2003, Applicant requests continued examination of the above-identified application and entry of the amendments presented herein:

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